



May 10, 2002

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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: EX PARTE – WC Docket No. 02-35: Application by BellSouth for
Authorization to Provide In-Region InterLATA Services in Georgia and Louisiana

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 9, 2002, Sherry Lichtenberg, Marc Goldman and I on behalf of WorldCom, Inc. met with Michelle Carey, Renée Crittendon, Dennis Johnson and Ian Dillner of the Wireline Competition Bureau to discuss WorldCom's OSS concerns with BellSouth's systems in Georgia and Louisiana, including erroneous line loss reports, improper routing of intraLATA calls, and unresolved change management issues. Our discussion was in line with the comments and ex parte submissions that we have made in this docket.

Pursuant to the Commission's rules, I am filing an electronic copy of this letter and request that it be placed in the record of this proceeding.

Sincerely,

Keith L. Seat
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Federal Advocacy

cc: Michelle Carey, Renée Crittendon, Dennis Johnson, Ian Dillner, Qalex International, Leon Bowles (GPSC), Arnold Chauviere (LPSC), James Davis-Smith (DOJ)